

Greetings to those interested in membership in Louisiana Society for Healthcare Facilities Management and / or American Society for Healthcare Engineering

Congratulations on considering the Louisiana Society for Healthcare Facilities Management membership to enhance your career. As an LASHFM member and a healthcare engineering or facility professional in Louisiana, you chose to participate in the local ASHE affiliated chapter for our state. Our state chapter provides valuable links between healthcare facilities management and associates in close geographical proximity with similar needs and interests. The American Society for Healthcare Engineering is the parent organization that has international reach and involvement in regulatory and governmental affairs affecting healthcare facilities.

We provide an organized structure at the local/state level for members of ASHE and others to meet the day to day challenges of our profession and to prepare us for tomorrow. As an affiliated chapter of ASHE, we are able to offer educational programs that directly relate to our profession, providing continuing education credit hours, recognized by ASHE and the American Hospital Association, which can be used for the advancement of your career. Through this medium, our members work together on problems of common interest, enhancing their body of knowledge and increasing their competence in the field of healthcare facility management, design and engineering. The opportunities for face-to-face communication between members can give members the chance to share ideas, provide input on regulatory issues and to develop professionally. It further provides a unified voice on issues that affect our profession relating to codes, standards and other advocacy issues. I invite you to take a few minutes to learn more about the organization, some of the upcoming meetings and educational offerings by checking out other areas of our website.

Your input is essential to our success! Would you consider joining our group, adding your expertise, sharing and addressing current issues with your peers and advancing your own knowledge in the field? If you have any questions or would like to talk more about LASHFM membership or our programs, feel free to contact me.

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